



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 5725.0806-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Carlos PINZON, et al.) Group Art Unit: 1711
Application No.: 09/733,896) Examiner: RAJGURU, U. K.
Filed: December 12, 2000)
For: COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING) Confirmation No.: 5467
HETEROPOLYMERS AND AT LEAST)
ONE OIL-SOLUBLE POLYMER)
CHOSEN FROM ALKYL)
CELLULOSES AND ALKYLATED)
GUAR GUMS (AS AMENDED)

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

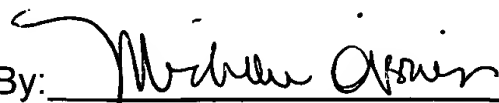
Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to
the Office Communication of September 9, 2004. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and
charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 10, 2005

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